



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tomohito OTA *et al.*
Title: THERMOPLASTIC RESIN COMPOSITION, RESINOUS
MATERIAL INCLUDING SAME COMPOSITION, AND SLIDING
MEMBERS USING SAME MATERIAL
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AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated April 24, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Applicants have enclosed with this amendment a Petition for Extension of Time to make this response timely.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: